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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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the specification of which:

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed	Priority Claimed
0002635.1	GB	07 February 2000	Yes

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PCT/GB01/00431	02 February 2001	Pending on 07 August 2002, now expired.

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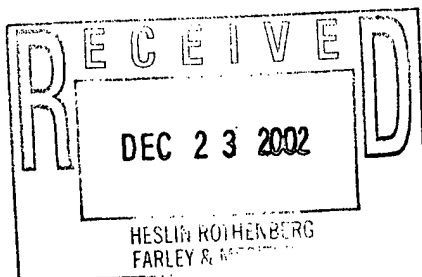
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all citizens of Great Britain, have invented certain new and useful improvements entitled:

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which were disclosed in Great Britain Patent Application 0002635.1, filed February 7, 2002 and International Application PCT/GB01/00431, filed February 2, 2001 and published as WO 01/56372 on August 9, 2001, and for which we filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States on **August 7, 2002**, which has been assigned United States Serial Number **10/214,434**; and

WHEREAS,

NORBROOK LABORATORIES LIMITED

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a company existing under the laws of Great Britain, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in the improvements and the application for Letters Patent of the United States;

We, **Sean DUFFY**, **Lillian CROMIE** and **William BLAKELY**, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto **NORBROOK LABORATORIES LIMITED**, their assigns, successors and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and to the improvements and the application for Letters Patent of the United States, and all divisions, renewals and continuations of the application for the Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent that may be granted thereon, and any and all reissues and extensions of such Letters Patent, and We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, to issue any and all Letters Patent granted on the improvements from any application claiming priority to the instant application, to **NORBROOK LABORATORIES LIMITED**, their successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

We hereby affirm that We have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that We have not and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

We further agree that We will communicate to **NORBROOK LABORATORIES LIMITED**, their assigns, legal representatives and successors, any facts known to us respecting the improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications derived from the instant application for Letters Patent of the United States, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to assist **NORBROOK LABORATORIES LIMITED**, their assigns, successors and legal representatives to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the improvements in the United States.

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